

## TOOK A MILLION DOLLARS OF COMPANY FUNDS

## Patrick Calhoun Loots the Treasury Of the United Railroads

Elks Held Up at Currant Creek  
By Deputy County Assessor

Trouble is brewing for the visiting Elks and some of the early arrivals are muttering hoarsely about what they are going to do after they finish up the jinx this evening and tomorrow. In the first place they protest against what they term a violation of all hospitality in being held up

White House Flim Flammed By  
Collectors for Bogus Orphanage

(By Associated Press.)  
ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 23.—George Michael and Joseph George are held on the ground that they worked a confidence game on President Wilson, Secretary Garrison and Senator Stone by soliciting funds for an orphanage in Syria, which they presented to the president and Secretary Garrison, and secured recommendations. Investigation revealed the letters to be bogus. They will be deported.

MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAMME  
ARRANGED BY RELIEF CORPS

The Woman's Relief corps has initiated extensive preparations for a full observance of Memorial day next Saturday, when every fraternal organization in Tonopah is invited to join with the ladies in making the celebration a complete success. A meeting was held last evening at the office of Harry Epstein with Frank J. Cavanaugh in the chair and Mrs. J. H. Schwab acting as secretary.

The generous offer of the Tonopah Military band to give their services free on that day was accepted and

NORWEGIAN LIBEL  
DECIDED IN FAVOR  
OF A NEWSPAPER

CONSULAR AGENT CHANGES HIS  
VIEWS WHEN HE ACTS FOR  
RAILROAD.

(By Associated Press.)  
CHRISTIANIA, May 23.—The question of Norwegian emigration to Canada has been brought into prominence by the trial of a libel suit against the editors of the Attenpost, brought by the agent of the Canadian Pacific railway. The plaintiff in the suit was David Jacobsen, who was until recently the Norwegian consul at Montreal. He returned to Norway recently to take charge of the railway's immigration agency here.

While in Canada Mr. Jacobsen sent reports to his government denouncing the alluring promises held out by the Canadian authorities for attracting emigrants. He represented that the railways gave the most difficult work to Norwegian laborers, that these were inadequately paid and not well protected legally. On a trip home Mr. Jacobsen gave lectures in which he expressed the same views.

The libel suit was based on an article which criticized the former consul, comparing his work as agent to promote emigration to Canada to his consular utterances upon the subject. The verdict was in favor of the newspaper.

## WEEKLY SHIPMENTS OF TONOPAH MINES

Following is a comparative statement of tonnage from the mines of Tonopah for this week and four preceding weeks:

	April 25	May 2	May 9	May 16	May 23
Belmont	3,678	3,550	3,734	3,694	3,636
Tonopah	2,700	2,760	2,500	2,500	2,750
Tonopah Extension	1,110	1,172	1,082	1,104	1,197
Mountain	1,030	1,050	953	889	789
West End	1,280	1,465	1,500	1,415	1,475
Jim Butler	850	950	850	1,000	1,050
MacNamara	303	375	350	374	308
Midway	34	30	30	30	30
North Star	150	165	160	165	210
Morgan	200	200	200	210	200
Reuben					10
Total	11,351	11,877	11,719	11,085	11,975
Value	\$277,300	\$284,040	\$278,480	\$291,800	\$294,850

Federals Loot  
Before Flying

(By Associated Press.)  
EL PASO, May 23.—Federal troops sacked Saltillo before evacuation, says a message given out by the constitutionalists. Carranza is planning to move his headquarters to Saltillo from Torreon.

GIVES UP  
FEDERAL  
POSITION

GEN. VELASCO SAID TO HAVE  
REPUDIATED HUERTA AND  
JOINED VILLA.

(By Associated Press.)  
VERA CRUZ, May 23.—Six Americans arriving from Mexico City brought an unconfirmed report that General Velasco, federal commander, defeated at Torreon by Villa and recalled to the capital, had revolted against Huerta, together with the federal troops under his command.

NIAGARA FALLS, May 23.—An announcement was made today that the first full conference between the mediators, both American, Mexican delegates would be tonight. Mexican delegates issued a statement denying that Saltillo had been taken. Guadalajara is being besieged.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Watchful waiting on mediation is the conditioned attitude in the government Mexican situation. The president received encouraging reports of the preliminary peace negotiations from American Commissioners Lamar and Lehmann.

DOWN IN THE HOT  
WORKINGS OF A  
COMSTOCK MINE

W. B. Evans, state treasurer of the Eagles, is back from the Grand Aerie after taking an extra day to look into the deep mines of Virginia City, where he went down to the 2,500-foot level and enjoyed a Turkish bath and witnessed the wonderful performance of the big pumps that keep the C. & C. free from water. His guide was Pat O'Brien, who took Bob Ingersoll down through the same property in the seventies and the trip proved an enjoyable experience.

"Those fellows who talk about the hot mines of Tonopah should go down where I was," remarked the chief of police, "and I guess they would not say much more about high temperatures. On the 2,500 level two miners were engaged putting in a door in a hot drift where the mercury stood at 124 degrees. One was working and the other was handling a hose throwing ice water on his companion and every fifteen minutes they would change off. The pumps throw 1,500 gallons a minute up to the Suito tunnel on the 2,000 level and then there are a couple of centrifugals that handle water at the rate of 2,500 gallons a minute. It was a great sight."

At the closing session of the Eagles they appropriated \$100 for the benefit of members of the order in the Colorado strike district who may be destitute.

RICH GOLD STRIKE  
MADE AT DOUGLAS CAMP

Gus Price, of the Davenport Independence at Douglas camp, seven miles above Nevada, has entered a rich deposit of gold ore that runs from \$100 to \$1,200 a ton. The rock is filled with nuggets the size taken from the Gem by Bob Stewart and his associates some time ago.

Prices has taken over the Bob Stewart mill at Nevada and is adding a lot of new machinery. The discovery is giving the district a new lease of life.

STINGING ARRAIGNMENT OF  
A SAN FRANCISCO MAGNATE  
FOR LEAVING COMPANY BROKE

(By Associated Press.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—In granting the application of the United Railroads company for permission to borrow money to purchase rolling stock, the State Railroad commission issued a statement denunciatory of the financial methods of Patrick Calhoun, former president of the company. The commission asserts that Calhoun before retirement "took from the funds of this public utility corporation over a million dollars when every available dollar was sorely needed to increase the facilities of this company." That he gave his successor, Jesse Lillenthal, his promissory note for \$1,500,000, which Lillenthal wrote on the books of the company "as value one dollar."

The million which Calhoun is charged with diverting from the funds of the company were used, the commission asserts, promoting the "Solano Irrigated Farms," a subdivision project which collapsed. "The whole transaction is a fraud," says the commission, "not only upon the public, which is dependent upon this utility for its street car service, but also upon the bond and noteholders of this utility."

The commission finds "Calhoun and the stockholders joined in this plunder," which was authorized by resolution of the directors, "at the expense of the public and the company's creditors."

Bull Moose Chief Out of Politics  
Is Latest One Put Over Public

(By Associated Press.)  
OYSTER BAY, May 23.—"I'm trying to keep out of politics as much as possible just now," said Roosevelt today. The colonel made the statement in response to a question about the organization work of the Progressives, his opinion regarding proposals for its amalgamation with the straight Republicans. He declined to express his views. He said he was busy with the preparation of a new book. This will take up much of his time until his return from Spain, July 4th. He held a political conference with several Progressive leaders today.

OPENS 15 FEET  
LOW GRADE ORE  
ON THE BUCKSKIN

PAUL MANUEL REPORTS MIL-  
LETT DISTRICT IN FULL  
SWING.

Paul Manuel is in from Millett, where he is going ahead with several properties, all of which are looking well, and he hopes to prove up a real mine before the next snow flies. Manuel is associated with Bob Gucken in what is known as the Bucks-skin group five and one-half miles west of Millett, in the main range adjoining the old Cleveland patented property. In the past week Mr. Manuel opened fifteen feet of low grade ore that promises to develop into a big proposition as the ledge averages \$10 to \$15. The find was made in an open cut where a tunnel was started right on the ledge and the ore body has been drifted on for 15 or 20 feet. This is on the Bucks-skin, which was located April 4th. There are four claims in the group and Mr. Manuel says there is no such thing as a stringer, but a real substantial body of ore. The snow has all gone off and prospectors are getting busy in the district.

In Park canyon a couple of men are working on the old Hattie group and the Twin river property under Bazinet, Bond and Jack Rosen is going ahead. The D. D. Sullivan mill at Millett is getting ready to resume, as it is said that another deal is on by which a strong company will take hold and operate the plant to capacity.

TWO MORE LIVES  
SACRIFICED AT  
AVIATION MEET

(By Associated Press.)  
ONNABURG, Germany, May 23.—Two more German aviators, Lieut. Heeder and Reinhardt, met death in the presence of Prince Henry at the aviation meet, bringing the total since the start of the contest Sunday to seven.

The aviators were caught in a thunderstorm on an aeroplane and overturned. They fell 4,000 feet.

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Advertisements in the Bonanza.

KAISER CAN'T BUY  
SAUSAGE FOR  
DELIVERY ON  
SUNDAY

PRUSSIAN COURT RULES THAT  
EMPEROR IS NOT SUPERIOR  
TO THE LAW.

(By Associated Press.)  
BERLIN, May 23.—If the emperor desires sausages for his Sunday evening meal, he can buy them the night before, just like any common citizen, or else go without. The laws regulating sale and delivery of goods on Sunday apply to the ruler in the same degree as to his meanest subject.

This is the decision of a Prussian court in the case of a sausage dealer who appealed from a fine of \$1.25 for violating the Sunday-observance laws. One Sunday morning, shortly before 10 o'clock, the hour at which all shops in Berlin must be closed, the emperor's private cook telephoned from the new palace at Potsdam an order for sausages for the imperial table. The dealer loaded the desired wares on his delivery wagon and started it for the railroad station. On the way thither the delivery man was stopped by a policeman, who inquired why he was violating the law. The representation that the emperor was waiting for the sausages had no effect on the policeman, and the result was the fine for the merchant.

On appeal the merchant set forth that his action came under the saving clause of the Sunday ordinances, which provides that Sunday orders may be filled where "their immediate carrying out is demanded by the public interest." The order of the emperor's cook, he said, was such a case. The court rejected the appeal, saying:

"It is of no consequence that the emperor was the customer. The emperor has no special standing in private trade. It is the business of his private cook to send in his Sunday orders in time, just as any housewife must do."

Unless all present signs fail, the Valley View Farming company, operating the dry farm in Lake valley, will harvest a big yield of grain this year. The valley contains more than 200,000 acres of choice land that can be reclaimed.—Pueblo Record.

MASSACRE OF  
300 FEDERALS

(By Associated Press.)  
WASHINGTON, May 23.—Mexico City dispatches reported that when the constitutionalists captured Tepe several days ago they put to death the entire federal garrison of 300 officers and men.

SPECIAL CHURCH NOTICE

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